

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

In response to the Examiner's Advisory Action of August 8, 2007, the Applicant respectfully submits the accompanying Request for Continued Examination and Amendment of the claims, and the below Remarks.

Regarding Amendment

In the Amendment:

independent claim 1 is amended to omit the recitation of the ink being remote from the printhead and to clarify that the claimed color printhead is supplied with a numbered of different colored inks; and

dependent claims 2-4, 9, 21-30 and 45 are unchanged.

It is respectfully submitted that the Amendment does not add any new matter to the present application.

Regarding Priority

It is respectfully submitted that one of ordinary skill in the art understands that the subject matter of independent claim 1 of "the color printhead being supplied with a number of different colored inks" is described at least at paragraphs [0042] and [0045] of Publication No. US 2003/0090542 of the parent Application No. 10/160,273 (and the corresponding description of the grandparent application).

Regarding 35 USC 102(b) and 103(a) Rejections

Based on the above and previously filed arguments, the Examiner is respectfully requested to withdraw the anticipation and obviousness rejections of claims 1-4, 9, 21-30 and 45 over previously cited Silverbrook and Martin.

It is respectfully submitted that the Examiner's rejections have been traversed. Accordingly, it is submitted that the present application is in condition for allowance and reconsideration of the present application is respectfully requested.

Very respectfully,

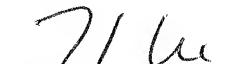
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